

**FORMAS**

ETT FORSKNINGSRÅD FÖR HÅLLBAR UTVECKLING

A SWEDISH RESEARCH COUNCIL FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT



Our vision

# Knowledge builds a sustainable world



# UN sustainable development goals





# How Formas contributes to sustainable development

- Funds the best research
- Funds cutting-edge innovation
- Makes research reviews within the environmental field
- Takes part in dialogue and collaboration
- Drives and supports research communication



# Formas' different types of calls

- Bottom-up calls
- Thematic calls
- National research programmes
- Strategic innovation programmes
- EU:s partnership programmes
- Global and bilateral calls



# International strategy since 2016

- Formas international initiatives should focus on qualitative production of knowledge that is used in the development of a globally sustainable society
- **Internal prioritisation**
  - Quality of research and its implementation in society
  - Agenda 2030 – regional/national/global collaboration
  - Strong national – international connections
  - Commitments and missions from the government regarding research- and innovation

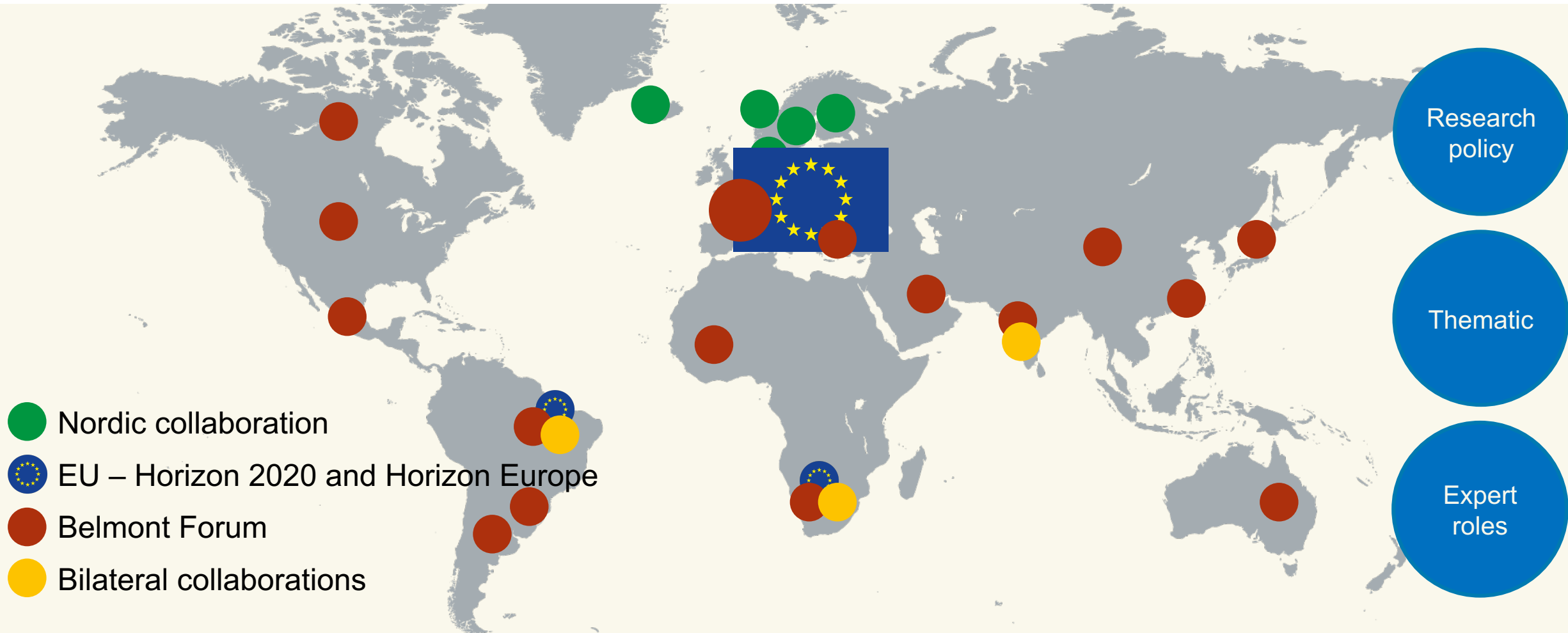


# National research programmes

- Climate
- Food
- Sustainable spatial planning
- 10-year-perspective and research agendas
- Harmonise national and international initiatives to meet larger goals



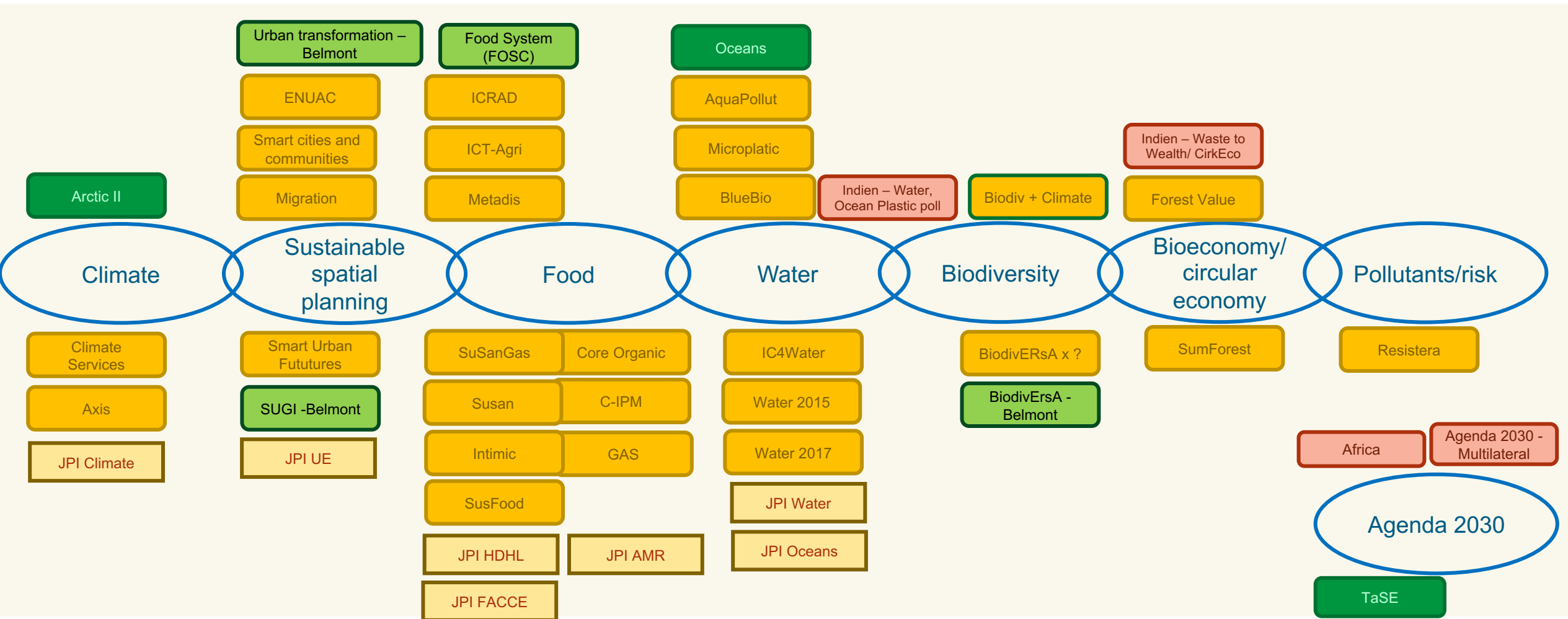
# International collaborations and networks







# Formas international portfolio - thematic





# Formas international portfolio – research policy

- Science Europe
- Expert role in H2020 (*SC2 and SC5*)
- Joint Programming Initiatives (*Climate, FACCE, HDHL, Oceans, Water, AMR, Urban Europe*)
  
- Belmont Forum
- Global Research Council
- *IIASA International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis*
- Global Research Alliance on Greenhouse Gases